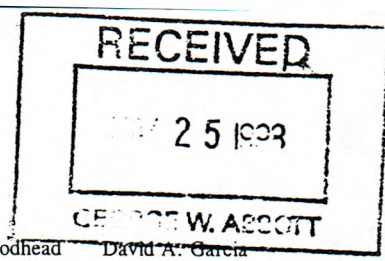


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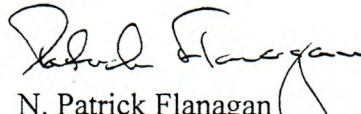
Dear Mr. Abbott:

My office has tried to reach you by telephone on numerous occasions but have been unsuccessful.

Pursuant to the Fed. R. Civ. P.26(f), the parties to a civil action are to meet and confer with each other and to exchange documents which each side presently possess with a view to resolve discovery disputes prior to trial. Please contact my office upon receipt of this letter so that we may be able to schedule a convenient date and time for the conference.

If there is any other matter with which I can be of assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,

  
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